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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

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This is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed 10 March 2003, wherein the Examiner required a restriction of claims 1-51 in the above-referenced patent application.

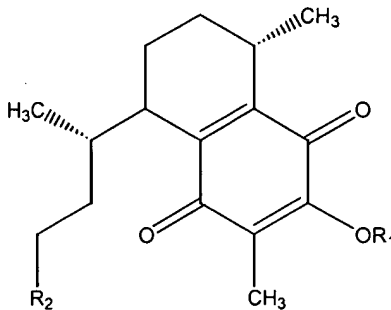
AMENDMENT

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please amend the claims as follows:

1-20. (Cancelled)

21. (Original) A compound of the structural formula:



wherein R<sub>1</sub> is a hydrogen or an alkyl or acyl residue having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and R<sub>2</sub> is an organo group.